

PORT LUDLOW VOICE

Will Port Ludlow Have Its Own *Perfect Storm*?

by Ralph Thomas

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The purpose of this article is to draw your attention to an outdated drainage system and also to a potential cure. Drainage is a community problem. Many of us have taken steps to move surface water from our properties, which causes a tremendous amount of water to move laterally under many of our properties. This water must be conveyed down the hill in such a way that it does not create a hazard for our neighbors. The soon-to-be-voted-on North Bay Drainage District can bring us back to a condition that precludes the types of problems that have occurred in other areas and is a first step to protect all of our properties. The Drainage District will have very little financial impact on most homeowners while increasing our property value and making our homes safer. We have done nothing to date about the problem of a “perfect storm” and supersaturated land that could cause instability on the hillsides.

The possibility of a 100-year storm is only a probability that a monster storm will have a one-in-a-one hundred chance of occurring at any given time. As the period of time increases the probability of a monster storm also increases. This means that in a 100-year period there is a 100 percent chance that a monster storm will occur. It does not mean that we will only have a 100-year storm once every 100 years. A 25-year storm will drop 3.5 inches in a 24-hour period, a 50-year storm will have 3.7 inches and a 100-year storm will drop 4 inches in 24-hours.

From a hydrological point of view the danger from such a storm increases in proportion to the amount of saturation that already exists. If the ground already contains more water than normal, then runoff is more likely to cause damage since the ground cannot accept any more moisture. If the amount of rainfall in a given time period is excessive, the rain will have nowhere to go and will cut new channels, cause banks to collapse and hillsides to become unstable. In fact we don’t really need a monster storm because time will create the same condition. If we have even normal rain over a sustained period, the water will not have an opportunity to dissipate and the ground will become supersaturated.

In 1962 in Oakland, California, 9.4 inches of rain fell in a single day creating a 24-hour storm-of-record (greatest amount of rain in a 24-hour period ever recorded). This storm continued to dump water into the already oversaturated area resulting in 13.73 inches in 48 hours and considerable damage. In January of 1982 a storm dumped 27 inches of rain on the coastal area of San Francisco Bay. Not a record, but they still experienced slides and debris flows causing 17 fatalities and millions of dollars in damage. Heavy rainfall in 1996 in Seattle caused extensive damage and the loss of many homes. To this day you can still see homes that slid from Perkins Lane in Magnolia and ended up on the beach. Perkins Lane suffered six large mudslides causing forty homes to be vacated. On Bainbridge Island in 1997 a young couple that were remodeling a home that had been in existence for some time were killed along with their two children when their home was covered by a mudslide. Bainbridge Island had experienced more than 20 inches of rain in the previous two months. The ground was supersaturated and extremely unstable.



*Remember
August 6th,
Summerfest
See story on
page 5.*

A long period of saturation and then a heavy rainfall can cause buoyancy that will turn dirt into a liquid-like substance causing slopes to destabilize. Gravity then steps in and the hillside

comes down. Another factor contributing to slides is the buildup over time of soil and debris in drainage ditches and culverts. These dams divert the flow of runoff cutting new channels and causing erosion.

In addition to excessive rainfall we also have a problem of snow. The Edmonds Marina on December 29th, 1996 sustained 20 million dollars in damage due to snow. Edmonds rarely gets any significant snowfall. When a large snowfall melts it creates the same conditions that occur with rainstorms.

What has all this to do with Port Ludlow and particularly the North Bay?

We have been fortunate that the majority of our properties are stable and hopefully will remain so. However the North Bay has approximately 500 lots that have not been built on. When these lots have homes on them they will decrease the space available to handle rainfall. Using a figure of 3000 square feet for a home and driveway, multiplied by 500 lots we get 1,500,000 square feet of impervious surface added to an already over-taxed drainage system. The current drainage system for North Bay has culverts that were installed 35 years ago, some have rusted out and some are plugged. When first established the system took advantage of natural swales to get runoff water to the Sound. These swales have changed over time; water is no longer following the same paths it followed 35 years ago. Water has been diverted into the greenbelt areas to the point where they reach supersaturation each year. When this occurs the water follows the clay beds or bedrock and then, considering gravity, proceeds to move laterally to a point where it exits the greenbelt and enters drainage ditches on the other side. There are culverts within the greenbelt but they are in need of repair or replacement.

We have already seen the damage that can occur when a culvert is incapable of handling the runoff. Fortunately the County replaced the culvert on Montgomery. We have also seen the damage that occurred on Montgomery Court when a portion of the bluff eroded exposing and endangering the sewer line. Once again we are fortunate that it was repaired in time.

If Port Ludlow does have its own “perfect storm,” we can be ready for it. Support the new Drainage District. It is a first step to protect all of our properties.

Our thanks to Dan Collins, Lt. Comdr. US Navy Retired and Meteorologist, who provided weather data.

Shellfish Monitoring

Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning (PSP), commonly known as Red Tide, is a continuing environmental problem in Puget Sound. Microscopic plankton release a toxin, which concentrates in shellfish. Eating contaminated shellfish can cause nervous system problems and even death.

Adopt-a-Beach recruits volunteers to assist state and local health agencies in monitoring for PSP and other biotoxins. Volunteers collect shellfish samples from 25 Puget Sound locations and the results are available on the PSP Hotline at 1-800-562-5632 or on the Internet at website www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/biotoxin.htm

For the past three years Doris Monti and Janet Samples have been collecting mussels every other week for the Washington Department of Health Shellfish Program. Presently the Port Ludlow shellfish are contaminated with a reading of 101 micrograms. Washington State standard for PSP is under 80 micrograms per 100 grams. Janet or Doris will be glad to provide a reading monthly.

Investor Beware—Fraud Alert

Another attempt to defraud senior citizens has been uncovered. It's estimated that to date 300 million dollars have been taken by con artists using a business-related promissory note fraud. These investments are being promoted as risk free because they are insured notes. The insurance companies are from outside of the country and in some cases don't exist. The lure of the phony notes is the promise of insured obligations paying from 9 to 12 percent. This sum while not high enough to make one suspicious is pretty attractive for an insured no risk, bonded investment. However, there is really considerable risk since the insurance factor is non-existent.

A 38-state task force has been formed to fight this fraud. Civil and criminal charges are being filed as well as cease and desist orders. Many unwitting insurance agents have been recruited to sell these notes. In some cases insurance agents, unaware of the danger of these uninsured obligations, are selling them to their local clients. Federal securities regulators have asked insurance commissioners to educate agents about the fraud.

Thanks to George Dyer for bringing this scheme to our attention.

Rotary Club gives Port Ludlow Gift of Life

At a July 10th ceremony, the Rotary Club of East Jefferson County presented a second Life Pak 12 to the Port Ludlow Fire Department.

The function of and use for Life Pak 12 was described in the July issue of the *Voice*; for those who may not have read that article, Life Pak 12 is a cardiac emergency unit. There are twelve monitoring leads, which are hooked to the patient and data is transmitted via cell phone to medical staff waiting at the receiving hospital. The unit significantly reduces critical diagnostic time and therefore the amount of heart damage, which could occur without the early information input.

The Club's decision to purchase the second \$25,000 Life Pak 12 as a gift to the community grew out of a presentation in May by Fire Chief Wayne Kier and a department response team member. During the presentation they explained and demonstrated the original unit, which the department purchased earlier this year. In the first few months of its use, the department had already experienced occasions when multiple emergencies occurred miles apart at overlapping times. Further, this improves the flexibility for working with neighboring Fire Districts in similar emergencies.

The cost of the Life Pak 12 was covered from funds raised at the East Jefferson Rotary Club's annual fund raising event, *Puttin' on the Ritz*. This gala formal dinner, dance and charity auction, which is the highlight of the Port Ludlow fall social season, will be held on **Saturday, September 16th** at the Bay Club. The auction annually nets \$25,000 to \$30,000, which the Rotary Club uses to support its community charitable work both locally and worldwide. The \$60 per person ticket price includes hors d'oeuvres, wine, catered sit-down banquet, the dance and an opportunity to bid on the 300+ items and/or services offered in the oral and silent auctions during the evening.

Tickets may be purchased from any of the following Port Ludlow members: Mary Lynn Derrington at 437-9590, Joy and Quentin Goodrich at 437-3604, Bob Hobart at 437-7653, Wayne Kier at 437-9292, Bob Peden at 437-9118, Bates Thomas at 437-0673 and Dan Wollam at 437-5082.

Garden Club Plans Trip to Zoo

Join the Port Ludlow Garden Club on **Wednesday, August 9th** at the Bay Club parking lot at 8:00 a.m. We are planning a bus or carpool trip to Woodland Park Zoo where we will have a horticultural docent-led tour of the indoor garden and the new butterfly exhibit. There also should be time to visit the lovely rose garden. The bus is limited to 24 persons so it will be necessary to carpool any number over 24. Get your reservations in early to avoid disappointment. The cost is \$25 for the bus, ferry and entrance to the park. Prepaid reservations are required and should be made with Bonnie Ahlstedt at 437-9113 or Francesca Drum at 379-3346. Make checks payable to PLGC. Bring a sack lunch and extra drinking water. Sandwiches, burgers and pizza are available at the Rainforest Cafe inside the park.

Mark your calendars for **Wednesday, September 13th** to carpool to Port Orchard garden centers and the Victorian Tea Room for lunch.

Myrdelle Teaford's Garden Tips for August

Don't forget to deadhead flowers. As blooms fade, remove them. Clipping off spent flowers helps extend the blooming period of most plants and keeps them from channeling their energy into seed production. Long blooming perennials and container plants can still benefit from regular feeding. Dig, divide and replant early perennials such as bearded iris, Oriental poppies and daylilies after flowering. Use a spade or shovel to cut small clumps in half, large clumps in quarters.

This is a good time to propagate shrubs. Camellia, daphne, euonymus, hebe, holly, hydrangea, magnolia, nandina, rhododendron and viburnum can all be propagated this month from semi-hardwood cuttings. Strip leaves off lower end of the cuttings, dip in rooting hormone and put in pots filled with rooting mix. Water cuttings. Place them in a bright spot out of direct sun. Mist daily or cover with plastic bag to keep moist. When frost is expected, move them into a protected area. By next spring, you'll have rooted plants to set out.

UPS Service at Village Post Office

Mike Johnston of the Port Ludlow Contract Postal Service Station announced UPS service would be available. He will offer this service during regular hours from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays and 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Saturdays.

Harrison Hospital—Silverdale Opening An Unforgettable Hike

A new hospital opened on July 10th in Silverdale with a focus on women's needs and rehabilitation services for all. It is located at 1800 NW Myhre Road at the intersection of Ridgetop Boulevard and Myhre. The Emergency Room will be open 24 hours a day, although more critical cases will be transported to the main Harrison Hospital.

The new facility is proud to present a rehabilitation center in Western Washington with the latest equipment including a therapy pool with a treadmill bottom. The pool's depth can be adjusted for individual patients, including those in wheelchairs. The staff is equipped to treat a broad range of patients, from those who are bed-ridden to highly trained athletes recovering from injuries.

Cookbook and Tastings

The *Port Ludlow Kitchens* cookbook is well on its way to becoming a reality. We still have plenty of room for recipes. The deadline for submission is **Monday, July 31st**. We are looking for all types of recipes and would particularly like to include those that have been in your family for some time, are unique in their origin or have a bit of a "story" attached. Don't let this intimidate you. Any recipe that you enjoy will be a welcome addition. Through the years, Port Ludlow has lost some wonderful people. If anyone has recipes that were their favorites, please share them and indicate whose memory the recipe commemorates.

Don't forget the tasting parties—the real fun! Only 100 tickets will be sold for each party. Appetizers will be presented on **Friday, September 29th** at the Bay Club, main dishes will debut on **Saturday, October 28th** at the Beach Club, and desserts will be the finale on **Saturday, November 18th** at the Bay Club. Select wines will be served at each party. Tickets are available at both Clubs and the cost is \$5 per person for each party.

Advance sale of books will continue until **Thursday, August 31st** at the sale price of \$9.95 plus tax. You may reserve your copies at either Club. Once the book goes to the publisher, the cost will be \$12.95 plus tax, so order early. We hope to have the books before Christmas. The Village Council sponsors this endeavor and all proceeds will be used for community projects. For information or to assist, please call Maureen Poole at 437-2165.

by Herman Schweizer

Nine members of the Port Ludlow Hiking Club won't soon forget a memorable fourteen-mile hike to Royal Basin in the Olympic National Park led by Sharon Sorenson. It was anything but easy. What should have taken three hours to get there took four.

Through the National Forest and for a couple miles into the park the trail had been cleared. But from there on we lost count of the trees we had to scramble over. One area, perhaps one hundred yards wide, was loaded with trees and brush that created an impenetrable mass over the trail, the result of last winter's avalanche. We had to go above it and pick our way through. This obstacle delayed us at least twenty minutes. At a flat spot maybe a mile below the Basin we experienced the spring/summer run off. The trail was flooded and at one place a creek tributary had to be crossed using precariously situated logs.

But once we reached Royal Lake all the hardship of getting there was forgotten. We enjoyed lunch on the shore of this azure blue lake viewing clouds drifting around the surrounding peaks. The wild flowers were in their full glory.

Before trying this trip be advised to check with the National Park Service on the trail condition.

Health Forum Survey Results

Following the May 24th Health Forum, a significant number of survey questionnaires were returned indicating many people's desire to learn more about a specific health-related subject. The most requested subjects, in descending order of interest, are: Diet, Exercise, Alzheimer's, Caregivers, Diabetes, General Health, Stroke, Cardiac/Heart, Fibromyalgia, Osteoporosis, Transplants, Lymphedema, Renal Stenosis, Caring for Blind/Amputee.

There was interest shown in forming support groups for members of the community to share experiences and information. If you wish to head one of these groups on a topic listed above, please call Peggy Schafran at 437-9935. If you would like to have health-related presentations offered in the near future, call Annette Isaksen-Stone at 437-7852.

On the Water Emergencies

by John Reseck

Put yourself in the shoes of an ambulance crew who gets a 911 call to help someone having a heart attack on a boat at anchor in the Inner Harbor at Port Ludlow. The ambulance arrives at the Marina with everything you need to help the person, but it is 11:00 p.m. and no one is around. You don't have any way to get to the patient.

The Fire Chief and the Coast Guard Auxiliary are doing some coordination to see that the above scenario never happens.

A recent incident similar to our example did happen. The difference was it was daytime and there were people on boats at the Marina. The Fire Department commandeered a boat and skipper to get to the patient. One of the problems with commandeering a boat, according to Fire Chief Kier, is they don't know if the person is a skilled boat handler or not. Also, if it is at night, do they have the knowledge to go out safely? Most boaters don't.

The Coast Guard Auxiliary has boats that are ready to move out on short notice, but they can't go out without orders from the Coast Guard station in Seattle. The time delay would be too great to get orders from Seattle or Port Angeles. But, there is a solution.

Seattle can issue pocket orders, which are to be used only in an emergency and activated just by putting in the date. The Fire Chief can keep these orders in their response book for immediate use.

The next problem to solve is finding a boat and crew at home when you need one. The best solution to this seems to be to give the Fire Chief a list of boats and contact numbers to call. The boat owner will then call for crewmembers. Obviously, the response time is not going to be five minutes. It will be more like 30 minutes but that's better than never.

There are other areas where the Auxiliary may be able to help also. Ongoing talks with Fire Departments and Sheriff Departments about training for their personnel in boat handling and navigation may open new areas of cooperation. The Coast Guard Legal Department is looking at the procedures to see how the Auxiliary can become a training mechanism for these other departments without compromising their non-law enforcement position.

Most of our firefighters, many of our sheriffs, and all our Auxiliarists are volunteers and don't have the time to do other training beyond what they are doing. We need a way to integrate the needed training for each position in their standard, required training for it to be truly useful to them. In Port Ludlow the CGAUX has agreed to a special training session designed just for the Port Ludlow Fire Fighters to fit into their schedule. Other agencies are also looking for special training for their boat crews. At a meeting July 6th at the Bellingham Coast Guard Station, representatives from Jefferson County Sheriff, Whidbey Island Sheriff, Whidbey Island Fire Department, and Anacortes Police Department were all there to see how they could get help from the Coast Guard in the area of training. The Coast Guard Auxiliary seems to be the best answer.

In the interim while we wait for the perfect world, as of July 10th the Port Ludlow Fire Chief does have at the Fire Station for his use, pocket orders issued out of Group Seattle and a list of CGAUX boats and contact phone numbers.

Summerfest Coming Soon

The apple strudel has been ordered. The band is tuning up. Jim Thomas is working on his menu. The beer is being chilled, and folks are practicing their chicken dance.



Everything is ready for the big Summerfest put on by the Village Social Committee on **Sunday, August 6th** from 5:00 until 8:00 p.m. at the Bay Club.

This event is open to all Village residents. If you haven't gotten your tickets, they are available at both the Bay Club and Beach Club for \$12.50, which covers food, beer and entertainment. Please sign up as soon as you can so we can be sure to have enough food and beer on hand.

Village Council July Meeting

Bylaw Changes Ratified at Council Meeting

Changes in the Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws necessary for the next election of Directors were approved at the July Village Council meeting. Ballots had been mailed to all 623-voting members of record on May 25th. 343 votes were returned, far exceeding the 30 percent quorum requirement. Of the 343, there were 328 yes and 15 no votes. This is a 96 percent affirmative vote—much greater than the 66-2/3 percent required for ratification.

The changes allow owners of real property to vote for the entire slate of Director candidates without regard to where they or the candidates live within the Master Planned Resort area, as well as to vote for Directors by written proxy. The alterations also create staggered two-year terms to ensure continuity of Board membership. Ballots for the election of Directors will be mailed out in August. The formal vote will take place at the **Thursday, September 7th** Village Council meeting, and the new term for the Board will begin **October 1st** after a one-month transition.

American Marine Bank Services Outlined

In a crisp presentation, representatives of American Marine Bank emphasized the bank's commitment to Port Ludlow and its local management and ownership. The bank supports the Farmers Market, offers space for the display of local art as well as community use of its conference room by reservation. (The room accommodates ten to twelve persons.) Banking services include free checking with no other obligations, no-fee ATM use for any bank card, balance transfers and bill payment via Internet, safe deposit boxes, personal and business loans as well as investment management and trust services.

Telephone Directories, Fire Hazards, Fresh Vegetables and Moving Boxes

An updated, Port Ludlow phone directory, which provides a majority of the Village Council's annual revenue, is now available at the Bay and Beach Clubs. Howard Morse, Chair of the Emergency Services Committee, reminded everyone to be cautious of fire hazards during these dry months. Don Cooper of the Farmers Market noted that produce is in at the market, and lovers of fresh food and conversation should come by on Fridays. The Chimacum School needs moving boxes to pack up and make the shift to the new building. Anyone with empty boxes may call Bernie Robinson at 437-0713 for more information.

Cable Service

Millennium Digital Media representatives told the Council that enhanced services were due this fall to the Port Ludlow area. These include high-speed Internet access (via the cable line rather than a phone line), greatly expanded channel selection and pay-per-view movies. Fees will depend on service selection and, in the case of Internet access, usage.

OPG Update

Vice President Jon Rose of Olympic Property Group gave updates on a number of projects. In brief:

- Pope's timber department has approved in concept, the proposal for improvements to Teal Lake for a community fishing pond. The PLVC Natural Resources Committee is now meeting with the Washington State Fisheries Department to see what funding and management options are available.
- A final conceptual plan for the Village Center, including the interpretive trail layout and the general siting for an assisted living center, is expected from The Berger Partnership in August or September.
- Planning of the community's last major residential development is underway, and a preliminary plan is expected to be shown to the Village Council in September or early October. 100 to 130 lots will be laid out south and southeast of the golf course, to be accessed off Woodridge at the intersection of Teal Lake and Springwood Roads.
- A contract has been signed for spruce-up work at the Marina, to be done during the summer. Permit submission to the required agencies for the 100-slip Marina expansion was anticipated at the end of July. Processing is not likely to be rapid.
- The next nineteen lots are under construction in Timber-ton.
- The deed restrictions promised by OPG to be applied to its undeveloped properties are "on track" to be recorded within 30 days.

Village Activities Calendar

All events are at the Bay Club and are open to everyone unless otherwise indicated, or obviously special interest groups.

August

Tues., August 1st

2:00-5:00 p.m. Plush Investment Club

Thurs., August 3rd

9:00 a.m., Village Council, Resort Conference Center
12:30-2:00 p.m., Broadway Production Meeting

Sun., August 6th

6:00-9:00 p.m., Summerfest

Thurs., August 10th

9:00 a.m., LOA Meeting, Beach Club
12:30-2:00 p.m., Broadway Production Meeting
2:30-4:30 p.m., PLCC Board Meeting

Fri., August 11th

5:00-7:00 p.m., South Bay Members Cocktail Party

Sat., August 12th

5:00-8:00 p.m., Birthday Party, Marina
7:00-10:00 p.m., Music, Marina

Mon., August 14th

9:00 a.m.-Noon, Bayview Board Meeting
1:00-2:00 p.m., Woodworkers
6:30-9:00 p.m., PLCC General Meeting

Tues., August 15th

7:00 p.m., Book Club

Thurs., August 17th

9:00-11:00 a.m., Village Council
3:00-5:00 p.m., PLCC Board Meeting
5:00-9:00 p.m., Flyfishers BBQ

Sat., August 19th

9:00 a.m., LMC Meeting, Beach Club
10:30 a.m., Trash Bash

Tues., August 22nd

7:00-9:00 p.m., Coast Guard Auxiliary

Wed., August 23rd

3:00 p.m., Teal Lake Board Meeting
4:00 p.m., Showtime Chorus, Peter Mercer's Home

Thurs., August 24th

7:30-9:00 a.m., Nifty Niners Continental Breakfast
11:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Nifty Niners Luncheon

Mon., August 28th

3:00-5:00 p.m., PLCC Spreadsheet SIG

Future Events

September:

2nd-3rd, Jefferson County Auxiliary Bake Sale, Beach Club Arts and Crafts Sale

13th, Garden Club Outing

15th, Blood Drive, Marina Customer Appreciation Night

16th, Puttin' on the Ritz

17th, Port Ludlow Day at Olympic Music Festival

16th-17th, For Sale By Owner Boat Show

23rd, Free Spirits Pasta Party

29th, Recipe Tasting Party

30th, Arts Council Michael Kaeshammer Trio

Calling All Singers, Even Wannabee Singers!

by Peggy Smith

To celebrate the beginning of chorus rehearsals for the **Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 3rd, 4th and 5th** performances of *Broadway Tells the Rest of the Story*; we're all invited to Peter Mercer's waterfront home on Olele Point Road. The date will be **Wednesday, August 23rd** at 4:00 p.m. We'll enjoy food and drink, and of course music!

We'll sing through the music for the show (copies will be ready for you to take home) and we'll discuss costumes, etc. and plan future rehearsal dates, twice weekly until showtime! It will be a fun time, so sign up now at both the Bay and Beach Clubs. Spouses and "best friends" invited, of course.

Remember, "Broadway" is an annual all-Port Ludlow community event! The music is easy to learn, fun to sing, fun to perform. We really have an exciting time every year, so "Try us—you'll like us!"

Not sure? Call me at 437-2464 with questions, concerns, even suggestions. I'll have answers for you, and I'll just bet I can talk you into joining the Showtime Chorus.

See you on **Wednesday, August 23rd!**

Beach Club Update

Nan Smith is the correspondent for the North Bay and the Communications Chair for the LMC. She can be reached at 437-2162 or by e-mail at justnan@olypen.com. All items of interest to the North Bay may be submitted to her.

LMC Meetings

Third Saturday of each month, 9:00 a.m. at the Beach Club. All LMC members are welcome. Agendas are posted at the Beach Club.

Labor Day Activities

The Labor Day weekend is taking on a festive air in the North Bay. Activities that take place on Saturday and Sunday include:

Labor Day Bake Sale—Harbormaster Lower Level

The Annual Labor Day Bake Sale will be held on **Saturday, September 2nd**, from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and on **Sunday, September 3rd**, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The Jefferson County Hospital Auxiliary sponsors the sale. All proceeds go to Jefferson County Hospital.

If you would like to contribute baked goods or assist during the sale, please call Joyce Jespersen at 437-9639 or Shelley O'Brien at 437-0642.

25th Arts and Crafts Fair—Beach Club

The Port Ludlow Arts and Crafts Fair will celebrate its Silver Anniversary this Labor Day weekend. The show runs **Saturday and Sunday, September 2nd and 3rd**, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. You must be an LMC member, or an immediate family member, to purchase a table. The rate for table purchase is \$10.

A new concept offered this year is a "Shared Community" table for those who may not produce either the variety or the number of items to fill a whole table for two days. This will allow several people to share a table to sell their creations. New artists, craftspersons and authors are always welcome.

Anyone who wishes to participate should register on the signup sheet posted on the Beach Club bulletin board. For more information, please call either Sandra Osborn at 437-0263, Dotte West at 437-9904 or Lenetta Johnson, the new participant contact at 437-0526.

LMC Committees

Please see the LMC minutes posted at the Beach Club for a full report from each committee.

The LMC committees have been meeting regularly and performing their duties. The committee chairs report directly to the Board of Trustees at each monthly LMC meeting.

Architectural Control Committee

Propane Tanks: An increasing number of homeowners are using propane as a home energy source. Location of these tanks has become a subject of regular discussion at ACC meetings. Homeowners should be aware that tank placement is addressed in our LMC Regulations, and these requirements should be conveyed to builders and vendors since they may recommend installations that are not permitted.

LMC Regulation II, Article II, paragraph 21, states:

21. Tanks. All gas, oil, water and other tanks larger than ten gallons that are placed on a lot forward of the front of the home *shall be underground*. The ACC may approve the placement of such tanks above ground upon the sides and rear of a lot provided that they are kept from view by screening approved by the ACC.

Owners should contact the ACC with any questions regarding tank placement prior to installation.

Building Permits: All requests for ACC approvals relative to CC&Rs and Jefferson County building permits will continue to be posted at the Beach Club.

Communications

Bulletin Boards: Anyone wishing to place a community interest item or an item for sale on the Beach Club bulletin boards may log in with the Hostess, who will place the item on the appropriate board. The Hostess shall remove

items when they are no longer timely. The size limitation for posters is 10 inches by 12 inches.

LMC and LOA information is on a separate board, which is maintained by the Communications Committee.

Greenbelt

The Greenbelt Committee has no authorization to remove trees on private property. If there is an ailing or dead tree on private property, the Committee will survey the tree to see if it presents a serious hazard, such as falling on a hiking trail or into the roadway. The property owner will be contacted and asked to remove the hazard. In extreme cases where a property owner cannot be reached or refuses to remove the hazard, the Committee may elect to have it removed at the property owner's expense.

Survey Sent to all LMC Members

Every property owner in the North Bay has been sent a survey that asks their opinion on specific questions relative to the Beach Club and other LMC-owned properties. This survey was mailed in response to the many comments made at LMC meetings that the membership has not been asked what changes they would like to see at the Beach Club. According to Larry Nobles, Operations Committee Chair, this is the first survey produced by the LMC, although other groups—LOA, Pope Resources—have sent them out in the past.

It is Extremely Important That These Surveys Be Answered and Returned

Without community input, the Committee will be unable to make a majority recommendation to the LMC Board of Trustees. The Operations Committee is charged in the Bylaws to "conduct a thorough study of the wants and needs of the membership, to recommend to the Board both near-term and long-term proposals for the upgrading of the Beach Club, and, in concert with the Finance Committee, to recommend plans for financing such proposals." As of Saturday, July 15th, the number of surveys returned was 205. This is approximately 20% of the North Bay property owners. If your household did not receive a survey, please call Dick Smith at the Beach Club and he will get one to you.

The Committee has asked that all surveys be returned by **Tuesday, August 1st, 2000**. Each survey was sent with a self-addressed, pre-stamped envelope, which may be placed in the US mail. They may also be turned in at the Beach Club.

Please urge your neighbors to fill out and return the survey: in fact, phone five neighbors and urge their participation. We are all shareholders in this community. It is our responsibility to voice our opinions where they can do the most good. This is your opportunity.

Tennis Club

The North Bay Tennis Club had its annual brunch and election of officers in June. New officers are:

President	Terri Ross
Vice President	Pat Lohrey
Secretary	Dottie Johnson
Treasurer	Joanne Kerns

Social activities for the coming year, as well as exchanges with other tennis groups and the possibility of offering several levels of tennis lessons, were also discussed.

The Club has scheduled games on every weekday except Wednesday. Dues are \$10 per year, with a 25-cent donation each week for the purchase of new tennis balls. Games are generally played at Kehele Park. Non-members are invited to participate.

Contact persons for scheduling are:

Women's Doubles	Shirley Porter, 437-0267
Men's Doubles	Joe Hall, 437-0262
Mixed Doubles	Virgil Greene, 437-9318

LMC Approves Computerized Drawing Expenditure

In a beginning move to take the LMC into the 21st Century, the Board of Trustees at its July 15th meeting approved an expenditure of up to \$3,100 for computerized plans of the Beach Club's current structure. The Operations Committee solicited bids and the selected proposal was submitted by CADD Production Services of Seattle.

The expenditure was at the request of the Operations Committee, which became aware that there are three different sets of existing drawings, each defining a different remodel of the original 1967 structure. In considering the future of the Beach Club and any reconstruction or remodel, the Committee needs one complete set of up-to-date drawings, thus allowing all interested parties to bid on the same exact proposal.

Bay Club Update

Dorothy Foust, Editor

For information on Bay Club activities, call Loretta Close at 437-2208.

Dorothy Foust is the Bay Club editor. Submit your articles to her by e-mail at frost@olympus.net or call her at 437-2836 no later than the 12th of the preceding month.

SBCA Board of Directors
 Meetings Held Last Friday of the Month
 at the Bay Club at 9:00 a.m.

Trash Bash

The next South Bay Trash Bash is **Friday, August 18th**. Come on—join us at the Bay Club at 10:30 a.m. You’ll love it—good exercise and meeting new friends. And yes, there is still a free lunch— gourmet tube steaks and more!

This will be the last run for Katie and Sam Bryant as Trash Bash King and Queen which they’ve done for over two years. Who will volunteer to take over? Oh! The fun of it all—see you on the 19th. Please call Sam or Katie at 437-5033 to volunteer. For new neighbors, it’s a great way to get acquainted!

Teal Lake Village Elects New Board

The Teal Lake Village Association at its annual meeting elected the following residents to the next fiscal year board: Dave Bobanick, Roger Buck, Bert Goldstein, Alyce Luongo, Frank Mitchell, Dick Moser, Don Olsen and Patti Stoner. The new board will meet on **Wednesday, August 23rd** at 3:00 p.m. at the Bay Club to elect officers and organize committees. All residents are welcome to attend.

There are now 68 single-family residences in Teal Lake Village. 80 homes are expected by year-end and at build-out there will be a total of 98.

Bowlers—A Plea for Help!

Dear Bowling Friends,
 We regret having to tell you that so far nobody has volunteered to be host/hostess for the bowling group starting in September. We have had many fun times in the past, but it appears they will no longer continue. Again, we offer our help in giving you all information for an easy transition. Sincerely, Karen and Flemming Lorck 437-7723.

New Neighbors

A warm welcome to the following new neighbors in South Bay:

Barbara and Dave Nelson	South Bay 1
Mary Smith	Timberton
Betty and Jack Hites	Ludlow Point 3
Debbie and Jim Bevier	Teal Lake
Betty and Frank Hart	Bayview
Geri and Bill Fowler	Teal Lake
Clydene and Bob Lloyd	Teal Lake
Ellen and Mike Mallett	Bayview
Janet and Buck Sample	Teal Lake
Shelzy and Fred Scheidt	Teal Lake
Judy and Russ Michel	Teal Lake

Introducing Heather Ullmann, Bay Club Administrative Assistant

After living forty years in San Jose, California, Heather and her husband, Richard agreed they wanted a change from the heat, congestion and frantic pace. Heather saw an ad offering a free video showing a place in Washington called Port Ludlow. They liked what they saw and decided to look at Port Ludlow while visiting a son in Seattle. They were hooked! Both wanted a small town community feeling and the scenery was absolutely gorgeous. The decision to move here was unanimous!

Heather was an elementary school teacher early in her career and later switched gears to become a legal secretary for many years. This experience prepared her well for her present position of Bay Club Administrative Assistant.

The Ullmanns belong to the Hiking Club, Computer Club, enjoy reading, entertaining and attending the Seattle Symphony.

SBCA Elects All-Resident Board

A vote was held July 12th at the South Bay Community Association Annual Meeting to elect a new seven-member, all-resident SBCA Board of Directors. For the first time, no Olympic Property Group employees were among the candidates. Chosen by the members (and backed by OPG, which cast its votes in support of the majority selections) were incumbents Frosty Foust, Tom Murray and Bill Schoenemann and new Directors Bob Force, Bert Goldstein, Judy McCay and Bob Wilkinson.

Bay Club Director Mike Morgan noted that annual dues would remain \$720, and presented the board-approved budget for fiscal year 2001. (Legal counsel advised the board that budget ratification by the members, as was done in previous years, was incorrect. The SBCA Board is empowered to set dues and the annual budget without subsequent member confirmation.) There are now 375 dues-paying members, and an increase of 32 is expected in the coming year. By FY 2002, the SBCA is expected to have sufficient members to be self-sufficient, and therefore FY 2001 is likely the last year for an OPG subsidy of the shortfall between revenue and operating expenses. The new Board will need to negotiate with OPG for this and for any contribution to the reserve account for major repairs and replacement.

Mike Morgan and OPG President Greg McCarry fielded a few audience questions, including several about the OPG-owned, SBCA-maintained tennis courts. McCarry said that in the long-term, an indoor, member-supported tennis facility is being considered as part of a new Resort. The future of the outdoor courts needs further discussion. In other comments, the new Board was asked to reconsider having the SBCA assume landscape maintenance responsibility for all individual village entryways. A motion was passed to waive an independent budget audit, but a member requested that the Board examine the value of periodic professional scrutiny. Another speaker urged that local walking trails be improved and expanded. McCarry said OPG would install trails, but it wants a community-wide commitment for their maintenance. The Village Council, through its Natural Resources Committee, is pursuing this and residents should contact it with ideas and support.

The SBCA Board is not a political body. It has responsibility for managing SBCA assets—primarily the Bay Club and other common land—and for setting dues and use policies. If desired by the Board, OPG will provide staff resources and information during this transition to full

resident control. Members who wish to promote issues with the Board may attend its meetings, contact individual Directors or write the Board via Mike Morgan at the Bay Club.

Free Spirits News

The Fourth of July Barbecue this year was a wonderful mixture of good friends and good food. However, the person charged with arranging for the sunshine's appearance at precisely 4:00 p.m. remains a secret!

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, September 23rd**. Rumor has it that we're going to be treated to an Italian Pasta Experience. Watch for more details in the September issue of the *Voice*.

Free Spirits membership fees are currently being accepted by mail or at the Bay Club.

Needed: New Member(s) for the Architectural Control Committee

Duties: Meet regularly to maintain standards of architectural control and landscaping per the Port Ludlow Master CC&Rs. Review and process applications for architectural and landscaping changes.

Requirements:

- Resident of Port Ludlow preferred
- Understanding of home construction/real estate
- Desire to maintain Port Ludlow's unique character

The new SBCA Board met Friday, July 21st with the following items of interest.

The newly elected officers of the SBCA Board of Directors are:

President	Bill Schoenemann
Vice President	Tom Murray
Secretary	Judy McCay
Treasurer	Bob Wilkinson

A Transition Committee was appointed to interface with OPG to assure a smooth transition from developer to owner control of the Bay Club.

Future Board of Director meetings will be held at 9:00 a.m. on the last Friday of every month starting **August 25th**.

Olympic Property Group

Shari Hagey, Editor

North Kitsap Arts and Crafts Festival

Port Gamble (in cooperation with Olympic Resource Management) hosted the annual North Kitsap Arts and Crafts Festival between July 28th and 30th this year.

Featured artists were Robert W. Broshears, who creates bronze sculptures and Hilary A. Wong, a Northwest artist who specializes in whale paintings.

In addition, there were approximately 130 vendors offering wonderful items such as candles, dried flowers, jewelry, woodcarvings, pottery, clothing and a variety of great tasting treats. There also was an antique car display, puppet shows, musical performances and several “Artists in Action” sites set up in town.

Many people visited the beautiful historic town of Port Gamble during the Arts and Crafts Festival. It provided great fun for all—and admission was free! All donations and vendor fee proceeds supported the North Kitsap Arts and Crafts Scholarship fund.

Olympic Property Group to Relocate Offices

Olympic Property Group, Olympic Water and Sewer and Olympic Real Estate Development will be relocating and expanding their offices sometime in the fall, once permits are obtained from Jefferson County. The new location is in the area adjacent to the RV Park near the Village Center. This move is to accommodate added personnel and to improve conference facilities. The Olympic Water and Sewer department supervisor and technicians will remain onsite at 781 Walker Way, but all customer service issues will be handled from the new offices on Breaker Lane. We will keep you updated on this project. If you have any questions, please call 437-2101.

Oops!

A flow chart graphic of Pope properties in last month’s issue of the *Voice* mistakenly represented Olympic Resource Management as a subsidiary company to Olympic Property Group. While the article was accurate, we goofed in creating the flow chart. Our apologies for the confusion. *The Editors*

Road Naming Contest!

We need your help! Olympic Property Group (OPG) would like to invite the residents of Port Ludlow to participate in a road-naming contest for the next two roads in Timberton Village. These roads will take access off the end of Timberton Drive, occupying the ridge overlooking Timberton Village.

Winners will receive a \$50 gift certificate from either the Heron Beach Inn or the Port Ludlow Golf Course.

Have any ideas? We are looking for names with a “forest and view” theme. Be creative! If you need inspiration, feel free to visit the site or stop by the Development Office on Walker Way to view a copy of the site plan.

Contest Rules:

1. No fee to enter.
2. Contestants must be 18 or older.
3. Must be a resident or an employee in Port Ludlow.
4. No proper names.
5. Cannot use an existing road name. A list of current road names for Jefferson County is available for review at the OPG Development Office, 781 Walker Way.
6. Submit your entry via e-mail to shagey@orminc.com or deliver to the Development Office no later than **Friday, August 11th**.
7. Winners will be notified by **Friday, August 25th** and published in the October issue of the *Voice*.

Prizes will be awarded for two categories—best name (one for each road), and most original name. If you have any questions, please call Shari Hagey at 437-2101.

Choral Belles Hammer for Habitat

Port Ludlow’s Choral Belles recently performed in Port Townsend as part of a two-day Family Music Festival to benefit Habitat for Humanity. In honor of Habitat’s plans for building more homes in the local area, the female vocal ensemble, under the direction of Janet Stark, introduced their rendition of Pete Seeger’s popular folk song *I’ve Got a Hammer*.

Battle of the Bridges

by Sally Smith, Village Council Government Affairs

United Infrastructure Washington, Inc., a subsidiary of Bechtel International and the private developer in partnership with WSDOT is poised to proceed with construction of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge expansion project. Oral arguments challenging and defending the constitutionality of the Public/Private Partnership Initiative Act—the enabling legislation through which the Narrows Bridge project is authorized to be funded—were presented to the Washington State Supreme Court in June with a final ruling anticipated in October. The Peninsula Neighborhood Association (PNA), a Gig Harbor based, anti-Narrows Bridge group, continues to challenge the project with scare tactics and second-guessing scrutiny.

In spite of efforts to sabotage the project and without the final legal decision, Narrows Bridge expansion is on schedule. Activity throughout the remaining months of this year include: issuing approximately 700 million dollars in tax-exempt, forty year bonds; acquiring right-of-way property; and securing permits required by the Shoreline Management Act.

With the Narrows Bridge appeal periods and rebuttal opportunities nearing exhaustion, the PNA has decided to expand its sphere of involvement to the Olympic Peninsula Hood Canal Bridge. The PNA agenda became an attempt to instill fears of tolls on this local project citing the Narrows Bridge as precedent setting for such a method of construction repayment. Beside the mutual transportation corridor, which they both serve and connect, the two bridge projects are in no respect comparable. The Tacoma Narrows Bridge is an expansion project, which qualifies for a toll-based repayment plan. The Hood Canal Bridge, as a replacement project by Federal and most State interpretations and standards, is not appropriate for the collection of tolls. The information with which the residents and business interests of the Olympic Peninsula should be armed is the derailment of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge from being financed and constructed through the Public/Private Partnership Initiative Act. Should this happen, the mega-transportation project would be referred back to the State for future funding out of the DOT budget.

The final decision on the future of the Tacoma Narrows Bridge is still in the hands of the lawmakers in the State's highest court. The PNA last-hour attempt to drag the Hood Canal Bridge into the toll debate and challenge may still succeed as one of the leveraging issues used to delay



the Narrows Bridge. For the acquisition of funding and the completion timeline of the Hood Canal Bridge, this outcome would result in nothing less than a punitive reprisal lobbed at a distant

relative under a cloak of zealotry gone awry.

Port Ludlow Development Agreement Finalized

Olympic Property Group is pleased to announce that June 8th marked the end of the appeal period for the Port Ludlow Development Agreement. The Agreement passed into law with literally no comment or appeal. This significant milestone was critical in moving forward with many of the build out plans for our hallmark community. Copies are still available for review at the Development Office on Walker Way, and also at the Bay and Beach Clubs. Any questions or comments may be forwarded to Jon Rose at 437-2101.

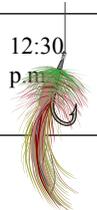
About Port Ludlow Blood Drives

Sixteen members of our community gave blood recently during our May 22nd Blood Drive. Each of these units of blood can be separated into platelets, plasma and red cells to benefit three patients. This means 48 patients in Western Washington have been helped by these generous donations. Many thanks to each of you who volunteered!

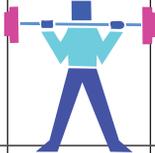
The Puget Sound Blood Center relies solely on volunteer donations to meet the needs of patients in Jefferson County and 13 other counties in Western Washington. Over 800 donors each weekday are needed to meet the demand. Approximately 50% of this supply is due to donations made to mobile campaigns throughout the communities. Please continue to support this gift of life effort.

The next Blood Drive will be **Monday, September 15th** at the Port Ludlow Community Church between the hours of 12:00 noon and 6:00 p.m. If you would be interested in helping with this Drive either by helping with registration on the day of the drive or serving cookies and juice to the donors, please contact Lois Comella at 437-0837. Donations of home-baked cookies are also needed.

Regularly Scheduled Community Activities

Activity	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
Aerobics Instructed Program Bend, stretch, exercise your way to fitness. Bay Club	8:30-9:30 a.m.		8:30-9:30 a.m.		8:30-9:30 a.m.	
Aerobics, Ladies Beach Club	8 a.m.		8 a.m.		8 a.m.	
Aquacize , Coed deep water fitness Instructed/No fee Beach Club	10 a.m.		10 a.m.		10 a.m.	
						
Aquacize , Ladies deep water fitness Instructed/No fee Beach Club	9 a.m.		9 a.m.		9 a.m.	
Aquarobics Exercise Program No impact water exercise. No instructor. No fee Bay Club	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.
Aquawalk Exercise Program Walk your way to fitness. No instructor. No fee. Bay Club	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	8-9 a.m.	9-10 a.m.	10-11 a.m.
Arts and Crafts Meet to share techniques and ideas. Bay Club				10 a.m.-12 noon		
						
Beginning Bridge Learn while playing. Bridge Deck	1-4 p.m.					
Bridge ACBL , Mixed Duplicate Bridge Deck			7 p.m.			
Bridge , Ladies Bridge Deck			1 p.m.			
						
Bridge , Duplicate Bridge Deck	12:30 p.m.					

Regularly Scheduled Community Activities

Activity	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
Golf, Ladies' 18 hole. WGA		7:30 a.m.-10 a.m.				
Golf, Men's 18 hole MGA			7:30 a.m.-10 a.m.			
Golf, 9 Hole, Men's and Ladies' Nifty Niners				7:30 a.m.-10 a.m.		
Ham Radio Club, Meets at Harbormaster Restaurant			11 a.m.			
Ludlow Line Dancers All level of dancers welcome. No fee, great fun, & exercise. Bay Club	3-4:30 p.m.					
Potted Ladies The art of embossing. Bay Club			9 a.m.-12 noon			
Quilters By the Bay Beginners through expert. Bay Club			 2 p.m.			
Rockettes Advanced tap dancing. Instructed. Fee. Bay Club	9:30-11 a.m.			9:30-11 a.m.		9:30-11 a.m.
Steppin' Out Tap dancing. Instructed. Fee. Bay Club	11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.			11 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.	
Strength Training Work your way to fitness. Instructed. Fee. Bay Club		8-9 a.m.		8-9 a.m.		9-10 a.m.

Arts and Entertainment



Barbara Wagner-Jauregg, Editor

This section features news on Port Ludlow arts and entertainment events as well as a performing arts calendar for Jefferson, Clallam and Kitsap Counties. Submit news and calendar items to the editor at bwagnerj@olympus.net by the 10th of the preceding month.

Top-Notch Talent Booked for Arts Council '00-'01 Season

A schedule of crowd-pleasing entertainment with outstanding performers is on the bill for the Arts Council 2000-2001 season. The schedule will again include the popular Mainstage series featuring four evening performances in concert or cabaret style. And beginning this season the same level of top-notch performers will be presented in a new Matinee series of three Sunday afternoon concerts.

The opening concert of the Mainstage series on **Saturday, September 30th** will feature a return engagement of the popular Michael Kaeshammer Trio. This twenty-three year old keyboard wizard is one of Canada's most exciting young stars. The pianist-bandleader is building an international following with a series of crowd-pleasing performances in Canada, Europe, and the U.S. He has released two critically acclaimed CDs, co-written and starred in a play celebrating the history of boogie woogie, and been featured on Canadian radio and television. Kaeshammer thoughtfully reshapes traditional jazz, blues, bebop, and boogie woogie. His trio features Damian Graham on drums and Simon Fisk on bass.

The Mainstage series continues on **Saturday, November 11th** with the 40's nostalgia show band, String of Pearls, recapturing the magical era from flat foot floogies to the Andrews Sisters. These cultured Pearls represent a unique blend of talent and experience developed through years of performing with accomplished groups. They'll take you on a sentimental journey to an elegant decade complete with costumes and plenty of fun! It definitely will be a night to remember.

The new Matinee series opens on **Sunday, December 3rd**

with a special holiday concert featuring the Evergreen Brass Quintet and Tacoma Youth Chorus performing Christmas Carols and Favorites. These two groups began a series of highly successful Christmas Concerts in 1997 that led to commissioned works for brass quintet and chorus. Their consummate musicianship, contagious warmth and enthusiastic spirit attract audiences as varied as the music they perform.

The Mainstage series resumes on **Saturday, January 20th** with a performance by the Vancouver Wind Trio. This international-class ensemble provides exceptional entertainment through the medium of the world's greatest classics. Their well-planned program is chosen from their unique repertoire—music ranging from before Bach to beyond Brubeck—and includes light relief by leader Anthony Averay who peppers his commentaries with flashes of spontaneous wit.

What better way to spend a winter Sunday afternoon than in the company of angels performing **Sunday, February 18th** as part of the new Matinee series? Don't miss Bronn Journey as he brings his golden harp—the instrument of angels—down to earth for all of us to enjoy! Playing everything from classics to Broadway, Bronn delivers a widely varied repertoire with wit and humor while his wife Katherine joins him in glorious song.

The final Mainstage concert will be **Friday, March 16th** and will feature VOCE, The A Cappella Experience, one of Canada's hottest and most exciting five-member male vocal sensations. Their repertoire includes everything from pop and jazz to good old rock'n roll (and everything in between!). Their undeniable passion for music brings lush harmonies and innovative arrangements to life.

Truly a first for Port Ludlow will be the appearance of three members of the Seattle Symphony performing in the final concert of the new Matinee series on **Sunday, April 29th**. The string trio will include Mikhail (Mischa) Schmidt, violin, Susan Gulkis, viola and David Tonkonogui, cellist. All accomplished chamber musicians, they will bring their high level of professionalism and experi-

ence to our stage.

All Mainstage performances will begin at 8:00 p.m. with wine bar service available before each performance. In order to provide a full-length performance on Sunday afternoons, the start time for the new Matinee series will now be 2:00 p.m. with pre-concert wine bar service also available.

The Arts Council is pleased to bring these outstanding performances to Port Ludlow audiences. Show your support of the new concert series by becoming a season subscriber during the membership drive. Special ticket pricing for all seven concerts is \$72, a saving of 10% over individual ticket prices of \$12.50 for Mainstage and \$10.00 for Matinee performances. Subscriptions can be purchased now at the Bay Club. To order by mail, send a stamped, self-addressed envelope and your check payable to the Port Ludlow Arts Council, P.O. Box 65210, Port Ludlow, WA 98365. All ticket sales are final; there are no refunds.

Individual concert tickets for the Michael Kaeshammer Trio concert will go on sale in September.

Roving Players Perform in Park

The Roving Players present *A Comedy of Errors*, William Shakespeare's rollicking tale of two sets of twins separated at birth. It is the story of mistaken identities and the hilarious effects that ensue. Bawdy women, outlandish men, strolling merchants and musicians fill a colorful stage in this madcap adventure. Performances are one weekend only. **Thursday and Friday, August 17th and 18th**, 7:30 p.m. at the Indianola Clubhouse and **Saturday and Sunday, August 19th and 20th**, 4:00 p.m. at Poulsbo's Raab Park.

Tickets available at Kingston's Cut & Dried Florist, Peninsula Video at Kingston Crossing and the Kitsap Mall Information Booth.

Comedy in Bainbridge

HA! Comedy Improv! will perform at The Playhouse in Bainbridge at 7:30 p.m. on Summer **Saturdays, August 12th and September 9th**. Bainbridge Island's own brand of spontaneous humor, based on suggestions taken from the audience, includes performers singing and acting like mad fools. Shows have sold out; making advance purchase of tickets is recommended. Call 206-842-8569.

Port Ludlow Day at the Barn

Saturday, September 2nd has been designated as Port Ludlow Day at the Olympic Music Festival. Jim Watson, president of the Festival Board of Directors, is organizing a group from Port Ludlow to enjoy a potluck picnic together in the farm setting prior to the chamber music concert.

If you've never attended a Concert in the Barn, this is your opportunity to join other classical music lovers in an Olympic Peninsula tradition. The Port Ludlow group will gather at the Festival site at noon for a potluck lunch, enjoy the antics of the farm donkeys, then attend the barn concert at 2:00 p.m. Note, it is important to secure your seat with a blanket or cushion as early as 1:00 p.m. You then can go back outdoors to enjoy the bucolic setting until the concert starts.

For ticket information and to sign up for your potluck item, please call Jim or Diane Watson at 437-0216.

Marrowstone Music Festival Concerts

Centrum will partner once again with the Seattle Youth Symphony Orchestra to present the Marrowstone Music Festival—three weekends of Saturday afternoon chamber music concerts and Sunday afternoon orchestra concerts. In the week preceding the concerts, nationally-selected young virtuoso musicians study with internationally-renowned faculty.

The faculty will perform in chamber music concerts at the Joseph F. Wheeler Theater at 2:00 p.m. on **Saturday, August 12th, 19th and 26th**. On **Sunday, August 13th, 20th and 27th** at the McCurdy Pavilion at 2:00 p.m., youth orchestras perform under the direction of Jonathan Shames, Director of the Seattle Youth Symphony Orchestra, and Huw Edwards, Music Director of the Portland Youth Philharmonic. The program includes Haydn Symphony No. 99, Beethoven Overture to Fidelio, Shostakovich Violin Concerto No. 1, op.77/99, and Dvorak Symphony No. 6.

For tickets or further information, call 385-5320.

Performing Arts Calendar

August, 2000

Sat. & Sun., August 5th & 6th

Chamber music of Shostakovich, Debussy, Beethoven & Brahms, Olympic Music Festival Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839.

Mon. & Tues., August 7th & 8th

Coffee Concerts, guest violinist Jonathan Graber of the Turtle Bluff Orchestra first violin section, will perform Beethoven and Bach, Turtle Bluff II, Nordland, 9:30 a.m., 385-3626.

Sat., August 12th

HA! Comedy Improv!, The Playhouse in Bainbridge, 7:30 p.m., 206-842-8569.

Sat. August 12th, 19th & 26th

Faculty Chamber Music Concerts, Marrowstone Music Festival, Joseph F. Wheeler Theater, 2:00 p.m., 385-5320.

Sat. & Sun., August 12th & 13th

Chamber music of Haydn, Barber & Dvorak, Olympic Music Festival Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839.

Sun. August 13th, 20th & 27th

Festival Orchestra Concerts, Marrowstone Music Festival, McCurdy Pavilion, 2:00 p.m., 385-5320.

Mon. & Tues., August 14th, 15th, 21st, 22nd, 28th & 29th

Coffee Concerts feature morning of piano music, Turtle Bluff II, Nordland, 9:30 a.m., 385-3626.

Fri., August 18th

Joseph Crookson, Seattle singer/songwriter and multi-instrumentalist, Collective Visions Gallery, Bremerton, 8:00 p.m., 360-377-8327.

Sat. & Sun., August 19th & 20th

Chamber music of Haydn, Brahms & Schumann, Olympic Music Festival Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839.

Sat. & Sun., August 26th & 27th

Chamber music of Mozart, Olympic Music Festival Concerts in the Barn, Quilcene, 2:00 p.m., 206-527-8839.

Village Council Meeting Agenda

Thursday, August 3rd, 9:00 a.m.
Resort Conference Center

- Agenda: Julie Dalzell - Prosecuting Attorney
- Pete Piccinni - Sheriff
- Progress report on Village Council election

All members of the community are welcome to attend.

Travel Tips

by Maureen Poole

If you've been responsible for planning a family reunion, or a get-together of friends or associates, you know how much work this can be. Just considering where to stay, who cooks, cleans, shops and how you entertain the group can make your head spin. There is an easier way!

Consider a group cruise. By working with a travel agent that specializes in cruising, you will be surprised how easy and affordable cruising with a group can be. Each cruise line has different guidelines for the number of people that comprise a group. For some itineraries or at certain times of the year, as few as five cabins will qualify your group for special savings and amenities. Children sharing a stateroom with parents cruise at greatly reduced rates.

Travel to the port of embarkation can be arranged from all major airports. Once on board, the fun begins. No one needs to plan menus. Each guest is free to choose from a wide variety of offerings all day and evening. Entertainment is also a simple matter. A daily guide will list cultural activities, enrichment lectures, computer classes and card playing instructions as well as music for dancing. Of course there will be nighttime entertainment. Again, guests are free to choose. Many lines provide childcare for children from two years up to teens.

Sample activities include great craft projects, junior TV productions and talent show or pizza parties exclusively for their delight. Some cruise lines even have shore excursions designed for parents or grandparents and children to interact.

Go ahead, make the reunion fun for everyone! Your group will dine together and private rooms can be arranged for your personal get-togethers.

Special interest groups (sports, hiking, biking, seminars, retirees, school reunions, etc.) also find group cruising easy. Special facilities for meetings, parties or lectures are all provided. Unique shore excursions can be arranged. You and your travel agent have only to decide what you'll need to personalize your cruise and then select the appropriate cruise line. It's easy and fun for everyone!

To request topics for this column, please call me at 437-2165.

New Hires at Fire District #3

When the Fire District #3 proposed a lid lift to allow an increase in tax revenues, their primary reason was to hire personnel since the volunteer model had not worked very successfully in Port Ludlow. New hires at District #3 include Wicus McGuffey, Lonnie Reynolds and Tye Seeley.

Secondly, the District needed to upgrade the fire station in Port Ludlow. This project is moving along very well at this time. The Commissioners have developed and adopted a financial package for the station and an architect is presently working on the drawings. Chief Wayne Kier feels the project will go out to bid in September or October for a completion date of next summer or early fall 2001.

The third issue stated in the lid lift proposal was fire apparatus. Chief Kier has begun the process of writing specs for the next apparatus replacement. These specs should take about a year. The next fire apparatus to be replaced is a first line engine that is over twenty years old and at the end of service as a first line apparatus.



New hire Firefighter Wicus McGuffey successfully completed his year of probationary service on July 1st. He will be promoted to Firefighter/EMT third class. He has served as a volunteer for three years with the District and is a veteran of the US Army.

McGuffey is currently assigned to pre-fire plans and disaster planning for the District and assists the training officer.

Firefighter Lonnie Reynolds has also served as a volunteer for over six years. He successfully completed his probation period and will be promoted to Firefighter/EMT third class. Reynolds currently is assigned as the District's situation specialist and assists the facilities and property manager.



Firefighter Tye Seeley successfully completed his probation period on July 1st and will also be promoted to Firefighter/EMT third class. He transferred from a firefighter's assignment at the Indian Island Fire Department and is a veteran of the US Coast Guard. Seeley served as a volunteer



for over ten years and is currently assigned as an apparatus and firefighting equipment maintenance specialist. Seeley is a lifetime resident of Port Ludlow.

Sawdust League & Brownie Kehele

by Shana Smith, Curator, Port Gamble Historic Museum

The game was of chief interest during the entire summer, and scarcely a summer passed without a game (it wasn't just for the Fourth of July)! Teams from Port Gamble, Port Ludlow, Blakely, Hadlock and Seabeck made up the Sawdust League. A good pitcher could get a job at any of the mills; if he turned in a good performance on Sunday, he was not expected to work very hard during the week!

One of the Puget Mill's star performers was Brownie Kehele. Brownie, who had royal Hawaiian blood, arrived at Port Gamble in 1902 aboard a sailing vessel. While his ship was loading, twelve-year-old Brownie played baseball with his classmates at Port Gamble. It became apparent that Brownie had ability for the sport and the mill crew began to teach him the fine points of the game.

Brownie decided that he wanted to stay in Port Gamble, but he had already signed on for the trip. Mill hands hid him a few miles from Port Gamble; his vessel sailed without a cabin boy, and Brownie went to work at the mill. Brownie worked at the mill over 47 years, except for a few years during which he played semi-professional baseball. With Brownie at the bat, Port Gamble was league champ for many years, and as one of the head sawyers, said, "No one could touch us."

Kehele Park is located on Pioneer Drive in Port Ludlow.

Book Club

All North and South Bay residents are invited to the Bay Club on **Tuesday, August 15th** at 7:00 p.m. to discuss *Elegy for Iris* by John Bayley. In this remarkable memoir, John Bayley, noted literary critic and novelist, recreates his life with his wife, the renowned author and philosopher, Iris Murdoch.

Mesmerizing in its portrayal of one of the great and unconventional romances of the twentieth century, their life together is an ironically joyous story about the beauty of youth and the sobering reality of what it means to grow old and face what for them was the inevitable progression of Alzheimer's disease. Questions? Call Martha Dawson at 437-4167.

Hospital Gift Shop Benefits our Community

by Barbara Adams

When Jo McKay retired in 1994 from many years of retail marketing and shop ownership in California, it was their loss and a gain for our area and Jefferson General Hospital. Although she was not looking for something to mirror her working life, she knew she wanted to help in the community by volunteering or sharing her experience. She enjoyed meeting new friends and attending club gatherings, but she couldn't ignore old feelings that arose when she was shopping. She found herself looking in different stores and thinking, "If they would just move this over to that shelf, or get some better lighting on those items, or buy something more appropriate for these shoppers..."

After a few years, Jefferson General Hospital Auxiliary presented the Gift Shop to Jo as a challenge to make a profit that could be returned to the hospital to buy many needed articles and equipment. Originally the Gift Shop was only a small glass gift case that held handmade items. When she accepted the task, the shop was housed in a small room on the first floor of the hospital. She quickly began putting her vast knowledge to work in buying gifts that would be priced right and appeal to patients, visitors and personnel. Jo seemed to have a knack for selecting new and unique gift items that offered "something for everyone."

There were trial and error transition times that occurred and many changes were the result. The magazine rack proved to be unprofitable and it was removed. Greeting cards were selected from local vendors, providing a more affordable price to customers. In a short time, plans were made to move the Gift Shop to the second floor and exchange places with the registration office. Construction and renovation took place with Jo's suggestions and design for racks, electrical outlets, areas for display and shelves in the office for surplus stock.

Jefferson General Hospital Gift Shop in Port Townsend is now bright, attractive and inviting with gifts available for all occasions. Many of the hospital staff do their holiday and gift buying at the shop in their spare minutes. Word quickly gets around when Jo receives a shipment of boxes and her customers anxiously await the new displays of merchandise.

Volunteers come from several communities, including Port Ludlow, and contribute their time in three-hour work shifts. The friendly staff is eager to help customers five days a week from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. More volunteers are always needed to assist or substitute. Jo McKay is the backbone of this staff—training the new volunteers, freely giving her time to place orders, price and mark the items, effectively display the merchandise, restock and reorder best sellers. Recently, a newcomer inquired of Jo as to the benefits of working in the Gift Shop. "It's the sheer joy and satisfaction that comes of giving your time and energy and service" was her reply.

Purchases by the JGH Auxiliary have been made over the years, which are today helping many residents of Jefferson County. For the past three years, a total profit of \$28,000 has been realized from the Gift Shop sales alone. The most recent contribution from Gift Shop profits has been to pay for tuition and training of a physical therapist at the hospital to address lymphedema.

Women who have been treated for breast cancer may be at risk for this condition. Lymphedema is swelling in a limb, and a woman may develop lymphedema of the arm adjacent to her breast cancer. Removal of lymph nodes and ducts and radiation therapy may result in swelling, tenderness and sometimes tingling or a hot arm. Some swelling is temporary, but lymphedema presents a worsening of the symptoms and is a lifelong condition.

There is effective treatment for managing lymphedema, which includes specialized massage techniques, special bandaging, exercise and fitting of a compression garment. The therapist training for these procedures will be collaborating with a graduate of the Foldi Institute in Germany who is now based in Port Angeles. She will also train other therapists at JGH in order for them to provide the appropriate care for patients recovering from breast cancer treatment or other diseases resulting in upper and lower extremity lymphedema. Prior to this training, local patients have had to go elsewhere to receive treatment. Jefferson General Hospital is happy to receive the funds to be able to provide this new service to patients in need in Jefferson County.

Thank you, Jo McKay and your many volunteers, for a job well done and sincerely appreciated. We're glad you're here!

Marina News

by Dean Kelley

Marina Honors Namesake at Birthday Bash

The Port Ludlow Marina honors its namesake Lt. Augustus C. Ludlow with a birthday party on **Saturday, August 12th**. The event will feature a barbecue, birthday cake and music by The Tropics, a Seattle band, in the evening. The event is open to Marina, Resort and Inn guests and members of the Ludlow community. The barbecue will cost \$5 per person but the Augustus C. Ludlow birthday cake and the concert are free. Reservations for the barbecue are encouraged.

Surveyor Charles Wilkes named Ludlow Bay in 1841 for his friend, Augustus Ludlow. Ludlow never saw his namesake body of water, as he had died 29 years earlier as a young officer aboard the USS Chesapeake during the War of 1812.

“We don’t know the date or even the year of Augustus Ludlow’s birth but that shouldn’t stop us,” explained Marina manager Dean Kelley. “We thought it was high time someone threw good ol’ Augustus a party.”

The Tropics are a Seattle-based band that plays rock and reggae. Each of the band members is a sailor, and the group plays generally at boating and yacht club affairs. This will be The Tropic’s first appearance at Port Ludlow. They will play on a stage in the Marina’s picnic area.

The barbecue will be cooking from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m., with the birthday cake being served about 8:00 p.m. The Tropics will play from 7:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Reservations for the barbecue can be made by calling 437-0513.

Fall For Sale by Owner Boat Show

A twice-yearly boat show for the individual boat buyer and seller, called the For Sale by Owner Boat Show, is set for **Saturday and Sunday, September 16th and 17th** at the Marina. The show will feature privately owned boats in the water and on trailers. At last April’s FSBO Show,

200 people visited the docks (despite the weather) which resulted in three boats changing hands.

This will be the seventh For Sale by Owner Boat Show held at the Marina since the fall of 1997. The previous shows, each running two days, have resulted in the sale of a total of 23 boats. Boats included in the shows have ranged from dinghies to 60-foot sailboats.

This show will feature an informal Boater’s Flea Market, run by the Sea Scouts. Boaters with used gear that they wish to donate to the Sea Scouts are urged to contact Dennis Madsen at 437-5156.



Boat owners not presently moored at Port Ludlow wanting to show their boats will pay a \$15 fee plus their moorage. Current permanent Marina tenants, trailered boats, dinghies and kayaks on the shore will pay a \$15 fee per exhibitor for participating. Boaters must make advance reservations to be guaranteed a spot to show their boats. To ensure space at the Boat Show, make reservations by calling the Marina at 437-0513 or 800-308-7991.

Port Ludlow Yacht Club

by John Reseck

The Yacht Club is growing rapidly with twenty-one new members just this year-to-date. Perhaps the reasons for this rapid growth are the many activities available for members.

Social Functions include clam feeds, crab feeds, salmon bakes, cocktail parties and even a Polynesian Feast. Sail boaters have cruises and races every month during season, and the power boaters have cruises every month also. The Club sponsored and put on a Training Day that was about as good an educational program as you could find anywhere.

If you have a boat, or if you are thinking of buying one, perhaps you should consider membership. As you can see, there are many good reasons to join.

Paddlers Become Desolated

by John Reseck

How could the Port Ludlow Paddlers become desolated you ask? It wasn't easy. First, they had to pack their cars and load their boats for an extended trip. The next step was to drive to Port Angeles, take the ferry to Victoria, drive to Campbell River, take the ferry to Quadra Island, drive across the island, take the ferry to Cortes Island, drive across the island, unload their boats and gear and paddle several miles to the T'ai Li Lodge.

The Lodge, located on the southeast section of Cortes Island is on the western boundary of Desolation Sound, a favorite destination of the cruising boating community. Although many would not include kayakers as part of the cruising community those of us with vivid imaginations and great optimism do.

The thirteen of us filled the two rooms of the lodge and overflowed into four tents that were set on wood platforms. Two of our group set up their own tents on the beach. All of us had magnificent views of the area.

The toilets were outhouses and the showers were solar. A symphony of sound was created as the wind made the trees dance around our tents. The area was a perfect place to rethink who you are, as you paddled along the rugged coastline.

We were there five days and our activities included paddling, hiking, birding, sailing, eating (we ate at the lodge and went out twice to other restaurants on the island), relaxing and laughing a lot. Whenever our group gets together we always seem to laugh a lot.

We hired a naturalist to paddle with us one day and enjoyed his great knowledge of the area. I believe this is a place that we would like to come back to. Perhaps you will be there next time with us.

Customer Appreciation Night Features Dancing to Nostalgia

On **Friday, September 15th**, the Marina staff invites its permanent tenants to be our guests for a Customer Appreciation Night. Marina tenants are invited to dance to music of the swing era ensemble, Nostalgia. The end-of-the-season event is the Marina staff's way of saying thank you to our permanent moorage tenants. The music starts at 7:00 p.m. at the Bay Club. The Marina will provide hors d'oeuvres and a no-host bar will be available.

Farmers Market Features Dahlias & Tomatoes

The Port Ludlow Farmers Market continues each Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. We were glad to see Irene Hume back with her superlative tomatoes. A new face is Steve Hart from Poulsbo who produces absolutely gorgeous glass art. Be sure to take in his offerings.

Rodney Call comes over from Renton. You will remember Rodney's peonies and sweet peas. He now has huge dahlias for sale. What a delight they would be for your table centerpiece. Be sure to mark your calendars for Fridays at the Market. See your friends while browsing. It is a great place to meet.

Port Ludlow Bridge Club

Thirty players competed in a Club Championship tournament at the Bridge Deck on Monday, July 10th.

The winners:

1st	Doris and Ian Feltham
2nd	Mari Lambe and Mary Noel
3rd	Vivian Hayter and Jim Thomas
4th	Ted Wurtz and Eleanor Roden
5th	Avanel Baker and Grace Prussing

An open invitation is extended to all bridge players to join us at the Bridge Deck each Monday at 12:30 p.m. and each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.

Directory Now Available

The sixth edition of the Port Ludlow Resident and Business Directory is now available for sale at the Bay and Beach Clubs. This year's publication is dedicated to the memory of Ward Lawler who for many years was instrumental in guiding this annual project through to completion. New directory covers are available for \$6 each and the inserts are \$6 per set.

Thanks to Judy McCay and Pegi and Bob Graham for donating their computer skills and time to the Yellow Pages, and to Bob Force for compiling the residential and organization sections. The dedicated work of these individuals ensured the composition and continuation of the Directory.

And to the many advertisers—thank you for advertising in the Port Ludlow community—we look forward to doing business with you in the coming year.

Tide Timber Trail

DOG Notes

by Mike Buss (AKA Director of Golf)

Congratulations to Terry and Turney Oswald for winning the 2000 Mr. and Mrs. Tournament. Their best ball total of 116, 28 under par, just nudged out three other teams for the championship.



At 117, 27 under par were Harry and Mary Jevas, Dick Swindler and B.J. Wills and Chuck and Susan Wright. This year's Horse Race was a real sight to behold and a real dogfight to the end. The Flight was won by Steve and Nancy Cooper with

Dick Swindler and B.J. Wills a close second. Jim and Arlina Brown were third with Harry and Mary Jevas coming in fourth. Tom and Kathy Atkins outlasted Ed and Jane Bakke, Keith and Maggie Brown and Chuck and Susan Wright to win the B Flight.

Special Awards were given during the banquet held at the Bay Club after the tournament. Jim Brown won a box of Wheaties to gain some strength because of his monster 40-yard drive during the Horse Race. Audrey Wagner received a mask and snorkel after Ted's tee shot went into the pond on the #1 Timber. Lee Amundson was presented with a stopwatch because golf is not supposed to be an all day affair, and the Herrings received a flashlight because they were the first to arrive both days of the Tournament. It was all in good fun and truly a great time. We look forward to next year.

Please help me welcome these new members to the Golf Club: Edwin and Gail Koester, Steve and Nancy Cooper, Dick Gilden, Phil Jaffee, Richard Fritch, William and Marjorie Haverstick, Astrid Scheper, Jerald Adams, Phil and Anne Beste, John Mjoen, Terry and Turney Oswald, Jim and Nancy Shamadan, Terry Fowler, Robert Kerr and Daniel Gannon.

See you on the links,

Mike

The President's Pitch

by Jerry Conover

Seems like just a few days ago we were playing the highlight of the year, the annual Port Ludlow Mr. and Mrs. Golf Tournament. Mike Buss and his staff shine like the view of Mt. Baker over #2 Trail on a clear day. When the two days of competing were over, including pitching contests and the rowdy Horse Race we knew we had a wonderful place in the Port Ludlow Golf Course.

Congratulations to the winning couple Terry and Turney Oswald. It is good to have our new members taking part in our schedule of play. It can be kind of scary entering events when you may not know anybody, could be unsure of the ground rules and you are surrounded by nearly a hundred unfamiliar faces. Terry and Turney overcame this and played sparkling gold. Well done!

I read recently in one of the golf periodicals an observation about "The Creeping Ball." When we pay close attention, it even appears on our greens. It seems that in the course of human events, persons who move forward to mark their ball, at rest on the putting surface, have been seen to scoop up their ball and somewhat simultaneously drop a marking object. When it is their turn to play and they replace the mark with their ball, the ball doesn't quite make it to the same place as the mark. It even gets closer!

Improper marking of a player's ball is serious enough to warrant the assessment of a one-stroke penalty. Rule 20-1 of the "Rules of Golf" tends to get wordy but what it does say is "The position to be lifted should be marked by placing a ball marker, a small coin or other similar object immediately behind the ball. If the ball marker interferes with the play, stance or stroke of another player, it should be placed one or more clubhead-lengths to one side." Use the good rules. They are intended to help us play better golf.



Events in August include the Homer Smith Memorial, an individual low net, a Stableford competition and the three rounds of the Club Championship. Have a great August.

Port Ludlow Women's Golf Association Ladies Nifty Niners

by Teddy Conover

The 18-hole Women's Golf Association has completed five weeks of its annual tournament, the Captain's Cup, under the chairmanship of Val Durling. Twenty-six women participated in two flights and the matches were superb. Several of them were played scratch and three matches went to extra holes, sudden death for a winner. The final match was played July 10th between the winners of their respective flights, Sally Grything and Ethel Merklin. Congratulations to the 2000 Captain's Cup champion, Ethel Merklin, who prevailed on the very last stroke on the 18th hole. Ethel is a repeat champion, having won this tournament in 1998. Congratulations to Sally Grything as runner-up and winner of her flight, an excellent result for her first match.

Plans are progressing for the 2000 Invitational on **Tuesday, August 8th**. The Port Ludlow Women's Golf Association will host six teams from the Olympic and Kitsap Peninsulas. The best-ball tournament will be a shotgun starting at 8:30 a.m. Carrying out a "picnic" theme, lunch will be served after at the Bay Club. Full attendance will be eighty players with forty from Port Ludlow. Cost for Port Ludlow women is \$15 for lunch and prizes. There is a sign-up posted on the bulletin board. If you have questions, call Flora Mae Bradley, chairman at 437-2789.

Play Day Away Ladies

The Play Day Away 18 Hole Ladies celebrated the arrival of summer at Gold Mountain Olympic Golf Course on Monday, July 17th. Two foursomes spent the day trying to hit the par 3 greens and successfully putt the ball on the very quick greens. Sally Grything won first low net with a 69 and Susan Wright came in second with a net 74. The three closest to the pin winners were Norma Hartley, Flora May Bradley and Val Durling.

A sign-up sheet has been posted in the clubhouse for the next Play Day Away on **Monday, August 14th**, at Trophy Lake and Casting Club. Barbara Adams arranges all car-pools, foursomes, and game of the day. The group always enjoys the nineteenth hole and lunch, while replaying the greatest shots and trials of the round.

July was fun, just watch August. Our highlight will be the very popular exchange with the ladies of Sunland/Dungeness on **Thursday, August 24th**. Unless the schedule is changed, we will have coffee and rolls at the Bay Club at 7:30 a.m. The pairings and tee assignments will be distributed and the ladies will proceed to the Golf Course. The ladies will play Tide nine with a shotgun start at 9:00 a.m. Awards and lunch at the Bay Club will follow play.

The first event in August will be **Thursday, August 3rd**, Captain's Cup #3, odd holes and KP on the Timber nine. First tee time is 7:36 a.m. **Thursday, August 10th** is to be a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. on the Trail nine, blind most pars. On **Thursday, August 17th** we'll have a shotgun for couples at 5:00 p.m. when we play with four clubs and a putter, with dinner following at Niblicks. The ladies will close the month on **Thursday, August 31st** playing blind partner longest drive. First tee time will be at 7:36 a.m. on the Timber nine.

First Wednesday Luncheons

Help! Help!

You really don't want to begin our fall schedule of First Wednesday Luncheons without a luncheon, do you? That's precisely what will happen unless a volunteer steps up to be Luncheon Coordinator. You don't have to furnish the food—just coordinate it from September through June. Please call Sharon Sorenson at 437-0856 and you'll get complete information with a friendly voice!

We have a new Program Committee for the coming year and the Luncheon Coordinator will complete it nicely. And we'll have a First Wednesday Luncheon in September to go with our program!

Thank you all for your support and participation this past year. Approximately \$1,600 in cash and 500 pounds of food were delivered to the Jefferson County Food Bank. Let's keep this worthy charitable effort alive in our community.

Computer Club

Mary Ronen, Editor

PLCC General Meeting

Port Ludlow Computer Club meets at 7:00 p.m. **Monday, August 14th** at the Bay Club; with a social hour at 6:30 p.m. Visitors are always welcome. Speaker this month is Ned Schumann, President of Townsend Communications (Olympus.net) in Port Townsend with his views on "The Future of Internet Service in Port Ludlow." Warren Berg will present this month's short topic, "Reverse Phone Lookup—and More." Find out how to locate an address when you only know the phone number.

High Speed Connections in Port Ludlow

by Don Plorde, PLCC President

Many of our members have been yearning to see some sort of high-speed Internet connection come to Port Ludlow. We have made inquiries of US West about their plans, but unfortunately have had no response other than that their DSL service (high speed data) is not to be available in Port Ludlow in the near future.

At the July PLVC meeting we learned that Millennium Digital Media, as part of their current rebuild plan, will offer high-speed Internet access options as part of their expanded service options. MDM projects that this will be available here in the September-October time frame.

MDM representatives have invited PLCC representatives to visit their Port Townsend facilities for demonstrations of the high-speed connections and to gather more specific information from their engineering staff as to the specifics of their new service (hardware requirements, expected connections speed, etc). MDM has also agreed to make a presentation at one of our General Meetings near the time the service will become available.

As a service to our members, the PLCC Board will be considering providing, if possible, a high-speed connection to our PC at the Bay Club. This should meet special, occasional needs for such a connection by our members and provide a basis on which to make their own decision on the benefit of such a service for their own homes.

Visit our web page at: www.waypt.com/plcc for information on SIGs and workshops, and to read our newsletter.

Beginning Computer Classes to Resume

With summer winding down, perhaps you would like to consider the PLCC Beginning Computer Class starting on **Tuesday, September 26th** and continuing for three additional **Tuesdays, October 3rd, 10th and 17th**. All classes are held at the Bay Club from 2:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. The cost is \$30, which includes an easy-to-use text. This class is suitable for new computer users, for anyone contemplating a computer purchase or for anyone desiring a brush-up on the fundamentals of Windows 95/98, e-mail, letter writing and Internet browsing. If you are interested in registering, or if you would like more information, please call Bernie Kestler at 437-5102.

SIG Meetings

Office	Monday, August 7th	3:00 p.m.
Genealogy	Thursday, August 17th	1:00 p.m.
Workshops	Saturdays	11:00 a.m.

American Marine Bank Announces Winners

American Marine Bank has announced the winners of its 6-month anniversary celebration drawing. They are:

Don Haas	Dinner for two at the Heron Beach Inn
Jim Callaghan	One large safety deposit box free for one year
Gordon Trafton	\$100 deposited to a new savings or checking account
Karen Jovag	Free massage at Ludlow Bay Massage and Wellness Center
Bob Flaherty	Two Mariners tickets

Many local residents attended the open house where they viewed a display of bronze sculptures by local artist Lynn Thomas. Lynn also exhibited hand-woven tapestries that now adorn the walls of the Bank. The tapestries and sculpture will be on display through August. American Marine Bank has offered to provide display space to local artists. If you have a collection that you wish to display please contact Donna Casper at 437-8805.

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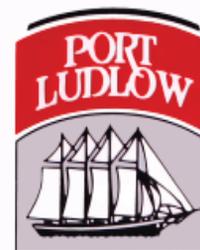
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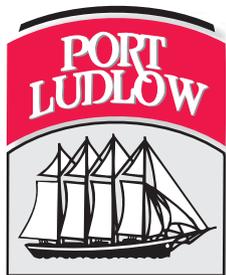
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